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22 September 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

25X1 ATTENTION :

SUBJECT : Screening of Requests for Copies of McNamara Project

REFERENCE : 21 September 1966 SAVA Memorandum for Director

The Director called me on the afternoon of 21 September with regard to the referenced memorandum. He said he concurred in the course of action outlined in paragraph (1) and approved sending copies of Annexes VI and VII to Chester Cooper as discussed in paragraph (2).

With regard to paragraph (3) the Director agreed that responsibility for screening requests for copies of the McNamara Project or portions thereof, while they should be controlled from a single point, should be delegated so they would not continue to consume his time. He thereupon delegated this responsibility and authority to me to act on his behalf.

Will you please refer to this office all future such requests which come to you, together with your views on whether they should be honored or not. We will maintain a log of the persons and offices who have received copies of the McNamara paper or portions thereof.

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